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NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.

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-1-	ARRIVALS. December 28, DANUBE, British steamer, 561,		THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.	PUBLIC ACTION.	EIGHT PER CENT.	OCONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO CO.MING SOON. EX O. S.S. CO.'S S.S. "DIOMED."
	Geo. Anderson, Pakhoi 23rd December, and Hoihow 27th, General.—YUEN FAT HONG.	CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR PRESENTS Consisting of	AUTHORISED CAPITAL £2,000,000. PAID UP £ 500,000.	from F. E. Fost, Esq., to Sell by Public Auction.	DOLLAR LOAN OF 1885. FIRST DRAWING.	FROM LIVERPOOL. HIARINI'S CIRCUS THIPPING Orders must be obtained from the.
	December 28, Amigo, German steamer, 771, F.	NEWEST COSAQUES and Bon-Bons.	Registered Office, 40, THREADNEEDLE STREET,	THIS AY.	NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in conformity with the provisions contained in the Agreement of	Indersigned not later than the 1st Prox.
	Thiessen, Singapore 21st December, General.—Wieler & Co.	Comical Subprise Boxes. Christmas Tree Ornaments. Handsome Bon-Bon Boxes.	LONDON. BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN	Residence "Barnsid Robinson Road,	for this Loan, the following Numbers of Bonds to be paid off at par, at the Offices of the	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 29th December, 1885. 2275 WILL SHORTLY EXHIBIT AT HONGKONG.
,	December 29, Tientain, British steamer, 682, Robinson, Whampon 29th December, Ge-	FANCY LEATHER GOODS.	AND THE COLONIES.	DRAWING ROOM TITE, PICTURES,	CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUS- TRALIA, AND CHINA, in Hongkong, on	OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. Return to China after 3 years' absence, during
	neral.—Butterfield & Swire.	Cigarette and Cigar Stands.	THE BANK receives money on Deposit, Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange, issues	ROBES, TABLES, CHIRS.	the 18th day of January, 1886, when the Interest thereon will cease were this day Drawn	ONSIGNEES por Company's Steamer which time it has made a triumphal tour of
, ·.,	British str., 1,012, Lightwood, Bangkek	Latinh Thises and I Thesame Ducke or Corner I	Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection, and Transacts Banking and Agency Business generally on terms to be had on application.	2 JINRICSHAS,	for payment at the Office of the said Bank in Hongkong in the presence of Mr. WALTER	"DIOMED." Australia, New Zealand, Tasmania, and Java of the Southern Hemisphere.
ā		Ladies' and Gent.'s Sciesors in Cases.	CLAIMS ON THE ORIENTAL BANK		Bank, and of the undersigned Notary.	onsignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for CHIARIN-1'S CIRCUS.
, *	Young, Foschow 25th December, Amoy 26th and Swatow 28th, General.—Douglas La-	Card Cases and Painted Gauze Frames. Cologno Cases and Onyx & Nickel Ware. Work Cases Menu. Holders.	CORPORATION PURCHASED ON ADVANTAGEOUS TERMS.		DRAWN FOR PAYMENT, Nos.	elivery from Craft or Godown on and after the FAVOURABLY KNOWN ALL OVER THE
	PRAIR & Co. December 29, Diomed, British steamer, 1,736,	VERY BEAUTIFUL HAND PAINTED MIRROR SCREENS.	H. A. HERBERT, Manager, Hongkong Branch.	J. ARMSTRONG, Austioneer.	2 5 18 19 20 21 28	Goods undelivered after the 5th Prox., HABITABLE WORLD, ill he subject to Rent. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. will give a Series of Performances of a very
	W. E. Guthrie, Liverpool 7th Nov., and	THE NEWEST FANCY GLASS and CHINAWARE	Hongkong, 6th July, 1885. [8] TONGKONG&SHANGHAIBANKING	Hongkong, 24th Deceme, 1885. 2285	52 56 59 66 70 77 80 81 82 84 86 90 91 96	Hongkong, 29th December, 1885. [2275] interesting nature composed of DIVERS
1	Singapore 22nd Dec., General.—BUTTER- FIELD & SWIRE.	France Smarrs Raspon Vises Dinner	CORPORATION.	PUBLIU ACTION,	97 101 105 109 110 118 125 128 129 130 131 136 137 139	"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. EQUESTRIAN, GIMNASTIC, ACBOBATIC, EQUI-
	December 29, Nam Shui, Chinese gunboat, from Shanghai 25th December.	TABLE SETS, TOTLET SETS, MENUS, LIQUOR SETS, TEA SETS and TRAYS, DESSERT and	RESERVE FUND 4.500,000.	itom the Liquidate of the "Shanghai	140 143 144 145 149 150 152 153 156 158 159 160 161 165	NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. descriptions, performed by Clever Artistes, both Ladies and Gentlemen.
		DINNER SETS, STATUETTES and ARTISTIC GROUPS.	DIVIDENDS	ICE Association," to Sl by Public Auction, (If not previously dissed of privately), At their SaleRoom, on	173 174 177 180 188 190 191 196 197 198 199 201 203 204 205 209 211 214 220 221 224 1	ROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP, LON- Also, a very attractive and costly Zoological
	CLEARANCES. AT THE FLABOUR MASTER'S OFFICE.	Annuals and Presentation Books in variety CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR CARDS.	RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO- 3. 7,500,000.	FRIDY, the 8th January, 18, at 2.30 p.m.,	229 232 234 235 237 238 241	DON, AND SINGAPORE. collection of
	29TH DECEMBER South American, Amr. ship, for New York.	LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, 9th December, 1885. 26	COURT OF DIRECTORS:— Chairman—Hon. F. D. Sassoon.	THE PLANT AND ACHINERY, belonging to the association,	269 274 276 283 285 287 290	that all Goods, with the exception of African Lions, Ceylon Elephants.
- 7		JAPAN! JAPAN!! JAPAN!!	Deputy Chairman—A. McIver, Esq. H. L. Dahymple, Esq. E. E. Sassoon, Esq.	WITHOUT ESERVE ONE ICE MAKIG MACHINE.	320 323 328 342 343 344 346 347 354 357 360 363 365 366	pium are boing landed at their risk, into the ROYAL BENGAL TIGERS. CYNOGEPHALUS codowns of the undersigned, at Wanchai, be-
	Velocity, British bark, for Tokae.	K'UHN.	H. Hoppins, Esq. M. Grote, Esq. C. D. Bottosaley, Esq. Hon, W. Keswick A. P. McEwen, Esq.	By Backwith, capable omaking Six Tons of Block Ice in 24 hours. To Machine is in good	371 376 378 382 386 390 391 392 392 399 401 402 403 405 406	ind the premises known as No. 3, "Blue indicated and or from the wharves or coats delivery may be obtained." And the Finest collection of Houses and Ponius from all parts of the World, educated
4,	Haiphong, British str., for Swatow. City of New York, Amr. str., for Yokohama.	JAPANESE FINE ART	CHIEF MANAGER. Hongkong—Thomas Jackson, Esq.	working order with Engirand Boiler, and all necessaries complete.	100 404 405 100 400 400 400	Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless to perfection, forming an excellent place of otice to the contrary be given before NOON, RECEBATION and INSTRUCTIVE PASTIME.
٠.	John Potts, British bark, for Nagasaki. Triumph, German str., for Saigon.	GALLERY.	MANAGER. Shanghai—Ewen Cameron, Esq.	Intending Purchasers may inspect the Ma- chinery by applying to be Auctioneers for an	463 464 465 471 472 476 482	No Claims will be admitted after the Goods
	Lorne, British str., for Singapore. Tientsin, British str., for Swatow.	AT THE HONGKONG HOTEL.	LONDON BANKERS—LONDON & COUNTY BANK.	order, who will also furnisany further informa- tion required. The Buyer of the Mchine can have the	506 510 511 514 515 516 518 1 519 520 522 525 526 529 530	fter the 3rd proxime, will be subject to rent. has the honour to announce that this will be the
	Ningpo, British str., for Shanghai.	HAVE IN THEIR EXTENSIVE COLLECTION	HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED. On Current Deposit Account at the rate of	option of taking over is Buildings at a fair valuation and the lease ofhe Pramises.	531 - 540 . 554 555 556 557 558 563 566 567 570 572 580 592	All Claims against the steamer must be pre- FIRST APPEARANCE in Hongkong of
	Activ. Danish str., for Haiphong.	A GREAT NUMBER OF SUITABLE,	Oz. Fixed Deposits:—	MAKENZIE & Co., Auctioneers.	601 607 610 613 621 626 631 636 642 644 646 656 659 660	th January, 1886, or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by For Particulars see future announcements.
•	DEPARTURES. December 29, GILSLAND, British steamer, for	ELEGANT, USEFUL, AND	For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum. For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum. For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum.	Shanghai, 14th Decembr. 1885. [2264	664 666 673 675 677 678 679 686 692 693 694 697 698 705	ADAMISON, BELL & Co.,
	Whampos. December 29, IRAGUADDY, French steamer, for	ORNAMENTAL, CHRISTMAS	LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and	W BREWER has just opened A Magnificen Selection of New	709 710 711 713 715 722 726 731 734 740 743 746 747 749	Hongkong, 28th December, 1885. 2280 PRANK G. WILSON, Secretary.
, 1	Europe.	AND	every description of Banking and Exchange	PARISIAN Goods in Plus with Silk Work and	769 773 775 780 781 785 788	STEAMSHIP "YANGTSE." Hongkong, 50th December, 1885. [2314.] COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES FOR SHANGHAI.
	. December 29, Saltee, French steamer, for Hai- phong.	NEW YEAR PRESENTS,	DRAFTS granted on London, and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia,	Ormolu Mounts, consistin of:— Handsome Jewel Boxes	813 814 815 816 817 822 824 827 835 837 840 843 846 855	MARITIMES.
•	December 29, Amatista, British str., for Amoy. December 29, Phra Chon Klao, British str.,	SATIN and SILK EMBROIDERIES,	America, China and Japan. T. JACKSON, Chief Menager.	Handsome Work Cases itted. Handkerchief and Glov Boxes.	857 860 861 864 865 866 871 873 874 875 877 880 883 892	NOTICE. "NINGPO," ONSIGNEES of Cargo from London, Captain Wm. Potts, will be despatched for
	for Swatow. December 29, Glenartney, British steamer, for	LADIES' and GENTLEMEN'S GOWNS,	Hongkong, 5th December, 1885. [6	Hand Pointed Fans.	923 926 927 928 934 936 937	Antwerp, Havre, and Bordeaux, Ex S. S. the above Port TO-DAY, the 30th inst., at "MEDOO," "THANE," and "CAMBRAI," in Noon.
- L	enangnai.	STORE OF BROKEDES SERVINE	DULES OF THE HONGKONG	Ladies' Card Cases, Tetoise Shell and Ivory inlaid Silver.	945 948 949 961 963 970 978 981	connection, with above Steamer are hereby For Freight or Passage, "Doly to
	s-oraise.	SATSUMA, IMARI and KAGA PORCE.	BAVINGS BANK.	Ivory inlaid Silver.	1012 1013 1014 1016 1018 1019 1020	tion of Opium Treasure, and Valuables, Hongkong, 29th December, 1960
	December 29, Tientsin, British str., for Swatow. December 29, Lorne, British str., for Singapore.	LAIN, BRONZES, IVURIES, BRUNZE,	1.—The business of the above Rank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai	Pearl Necklets and Brollets. The New Bross Ware. Perfume Cases, Hand Arrors in Brass.	1048 1051 1056 1057 1061 1062 1065 1067 1069 1081 1083 1091 1093 1094	the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may ocean STEAMSHIP COMPANY. be obtained immediately after landing. FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.
	December 29, CITY OF NEW YORK, Amr. str., for	GOLD and SILVER INLAID JEWEL-	Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10	Inkstands in great variey. Photo Albuma for Cabieta only.	1098 1102 1105 1107 1110 1121 1122	intimation is received from the Consigners (Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates
	Docember 29, Esmeralda, British steamer, for		to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1. 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor	Very Handsome Photolibums.	1145 1147 1150 1154 1155 1157 1160	before 10 A.M. TO-MORROW (TUESDAY), re. For NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEWCHWANG, 112 NINGPO, CHEFOO, CHEFOO
15-1	Amoy. December 29, TANAIS, French steamer, for	All to be Sold at Most Reasonable Prices.	may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. 3.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having	A Quantity of New Light Literature.	1192 1198 1204 1206 1208 1210 1213	Undersigned. "DIOMED."
	December 29, Kepler, German bark, for Foile.	(A VISIT IS RESPECTFULLY INVITED).	\$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shang-	Henry's Cross and the Engon: Knolly's English Life i China.	1215 1216 1217 1219 1224 1225 1226 1229 1232 1284 1241 1242 1243 1244	DAY, the 4th January, 18 6, at NOON, will be TO-MORROW, the S1st inst. at DAYLIGHT.
	December 29, Mary Stewart, British barle for Taiwanfoo.	Hongkong, 17th December, 1885. 2184	hat Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent: per annum interest.	W B R E W E I Queen's Road.	TAIL THIS TAIL TAIL TO THE TAIL	per package per diem. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
		G. FALCONER & Co.	annum will be allowed to Depositors on their	NOTICE. [25	1281 1382 1284 1283 1291 1296 1297 1289 1300 1302 1303 1304 1305 1306 1307 1310 1312 1313 1318 1319 1320	or they will not be recognized. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,
South	ARRIVED.	WATCHMAKERS, JEWELLERS, &c., 48, Queen's Road Central,	daily balances. 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book, which must be presented with	THE PRYE RIVER DOCK COMPANY.	1328 1329 1830 1332 1336 1337 1341 1344 1345 1349 1350 1352 1356 4558	G DE CHAMPEAUX.
	Per Danubs, str., from Pakhoi and Hoibow.— 32 Chinese.	Have Now on view,	each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-		1368 1370 1371—1373 1379 1383 1384 1394 1397 1400 1401 1405 1407 1411	Hongkong, 28th December, 1885. ISLAND, COOKTOWN, TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY, MELBOURNE,
	Per Amijo, str., from Singapore.—250 Chinese. Per Phra Chula Chom Klas, str., from Bang-	OMOTOR SPECIAL SELECTION	Books, but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of	be received by the Undersand up till 31st inst.	1416 1417 1419 1420 1421 1423 1425 1427 1429 1431 1434 1442 1444 1445	FROM LONDON, PENANG, AND &c., VIA, SINGAPORE.
	Inc. la 111 il 111 il 11	CHARLES & STORE STATE OF CHILD	January and beginning of July. 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the	H. L. SMITH, Secretary.	1447 1448 1450 1451 1453 1456 1466 1471 1472 1473 1480 1485 1487 1488	"WOOSUNG."
	and Mrs. Owston, Mr. Ludivig, and 107 Chineso from Singapore	Received Ex P. & O. S. S. Mirrapore.	Bank if marked On Honokono Savings Bank Business is forwarded free by the various		1514 1522 1523 1533 1534 1537 1540	"GLENARTNEY," Captain Arthur, will be despatched as above having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees TO-MORROW, the Sist inst., at DAYLIGHT.
	11 com and the hander! one time of the deck will		British Post Offices in Hongkong and China 7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand but the personal attendance of the Depositor of	LIMITED	1562 1566 1567 1575 1577 1578 1584	of Cargo by her and by the c. S. "Hoberte This vessor has undestroy good Casta Adda." from New York, are hereby informed modation, situated amidships, on upper deck."
+ ±	- DEPARTED.	GEM EARBINGS. GOLD EARBINGS.	his duly appointed Agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.	NOTICE TO SHARRHOLDERS.	1605 1607 1608 1610 1611 1613 1615	that their Goods, with the exception of Opinm, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Hongkong, 30th December, 1885. [2147]
	Per City of New York, str., for Yokohama.— 1 Japanese. For San Francisco.—Mrs. Love,	GEM SCARF RINGS. SIGNET RINGS.	For the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank ing Corporation,	Agents, with approval of the Consulting	1667 1670 1671 1675 1677 1680 1680	wharves or boats delivery may be obtained. Ontional Cargo will be forwarded unless BANK HOLIDAY.
-	Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Foster and 2 children, and 115 Chinese. Per Iranuadity. str., from Hongkong.—For Spicer — Mr. E. Ebrain and 2 Chinese.	The second secon	T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.	COMMITTEE, will, on the 1s January, 1880	1713 1716 1720 1721 1725 1728 1730	notice to the contrary be given before NOON, IN accordance with Ordinance No. 6 of 1875
4	Saigon.—Mr. E. Ebrain, and 3 Chinese. For Singapore.—Messrs. A. M. Place and assistant.	The state of the s	Hougkong, 8th May, 1885.	per Share, payable at the Hongkong And Shanghai Bank, the same being at the Rat	1767 1775 1777 1778 1786 1787 1790	Cargo remaining undelivered after the 4th for the Transaction of Public Businesse January, 1886, will be subject to rent.
	W. H. Rusch, and Wm. Dickson. For Colombo. —Messrs. Grinswold Lorillard, and W. P. Tal-	DIAMOND RINGS, "Single Stone."	NOTICE.	of 10 per cent. per Annum on the Paid up Capital of the Office for the year 1985, an	1802 1809 1810 1812 1814 1817 1819	No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by INDIA, LONDON, AND CHINA.
	boy and servant. For Calcutta.—Mr. J. Rand. For Port Said.—Mr. J. M. Konopachi. For	DIAMOND SAERINGS, "Solitaire."	L the PRODUCTIONS of the "CHINA	Notice is hereby given that in order that the same may be adjusted, the TRANSFEL	1844 1848 1849 1852 1855 1856 1859	Hongkong, 28th December, 1885. 12806 Manager, Hongkong.
	Marseilles.—Mdme. Emma Wernes, and Mr. H. C. Russell. From Shanghai.—For Marseilles	Also,	SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED" can henceforward be obtained by RETAIL FOR CASH, at No. 3, Peel Street, 'at the same	the 18th to 31st instant, both days inclusive.	1897 1898 1901 1805 1906 1907 1908	NOTICE. FOR THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUS-
	-Messrs. F. Hague, Christiausen, R. Dinse, Crighton, Conrad, and L. Dreyer. From Yoko-	SILVER CUPS,	Prices as at the Refinery; or Retail Order will be delivered at addresses in town on appli	General Agents,	- INDEA NOON NOON NOON NOON NOON 1022 1027	COMPANIA NAVIERA DE FILIPINAS. Acting Manager, Hongkong.
	hams.—For Saigon.—Mr. B. Joseph. For Mar- seilles.—14 Japanese.	suitable for RACES OF ATHLETIC SPORTS.	cants forwarding their monthly requirement in writing direct to the Refinery at East Point	Hongkong, 16th December, 1885. [223	1974 1975 1976 1981 1982 1984 1992	CORPORATION.
	REPORTS.	JUST BECEIVED	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents.	HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS COMPANY, LIMITED.	2013 2022 2023 2025 2026 2027 2028 2029 2034 2038 2040 2041 2042 2043	their Interest, NOTICE is hereby given that the FOR THE COMPTOE DE PARIS,
	The British steamer Phra Chulc Chom Klace reports left Bangkok on the 22nd inst., and had	Manage Crooks Brown and Gree Monres	Hongkong, 28th July, 1885. [137] IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF THE	HE TRANSFER BOOKS of this Con pany will be CLOSED from the 23r	2057 2 58 2065 2066 2069 2070 2080 d 2082 2085 2089 2090 2091 2092 2098	THE COLUMN DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY OF THE
.*	light winds and fine weather to Paracels; thence to port moderate to fresh monsoon and fine wea	Also TRAVELLING and OFFICE CLOUKS and	IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF THE LATE THOMAS EDWARD LUDLAM of Amoy, China.	1 ALCO LEGATION	's 2095 2097 2099 2101 2104 2105 2106 2107 2108 21 0 2120 2122 2124 2125	BIECHAL ROBINSON & Co. FOR THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.
	The British steamer Diamed reports left Liver	TIMEPIECES. The whole of Last Season's Stock is now			<u>/ 2147 2151 2152 2156 2158 2165 216</u>	presented their Documents for Registration. Manager, Hongkong.
٠.	pool on the 7th ult., and Singapore on the 22nd inst. Experienced from Singapore light wind	Hongkong, 7th December, 1885. [217.	of the said THOMAS EDWARD LUDLAN who died in Amoy in the Empire of China, o	The second secon	200 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000	Asserts, to be forthwith Distributed.
t	and fine weather to Paracels; thence to por fresh winds and rainy weather.	THE PARTY AND WATER TAKETONE	the 1st of August, 1885, and Letters of Administration to whose Estate were granted to the	VEGETABLES, MEATS AND SALMOI	2235 2236 2238 2240 2244 2245 224 2252 2253 2254 2259 2260 2261 226	MACLEOD & Co., WHE Undermentioned Insurance Offices will
	The British steamer Danube reports left Pak	Goods suitable for	are hereby required to send in writing to the	CALIFORNIA FLOUR AND MEALS.	2263 2264 2265 2269 2270 2272 2273 2277 22×0 2281 22×2 2285 2289 229	Manila, 5th December, 1885. [2192] Business on FRIDAY, the 1st January, 1886.
	hoi on the 23rd inst., and had light variable air and fine weather; latterly and round Cape Cam to port dense for. Left Hohow on the 27th	Consisting of:	Undersigned on or before 31st December nex the full particulars of their Claims, or Demand and all Persons indebted to said Estate ar	BICYCLES AND TRICYCLES.	2295 2298 2300 2305 2811 2315 2316 2317 2318 2319 2320 2323 2334 233 S 2342 2343 2346 2348 2349 2357 236	I CANTON THEORY
	and experienced fresh monsoon and head sea with fine weather throughout.	Coffee Sets, Tete-a-Tete Sets, Card Stands Fruit and Cake Baskets, Ice Pitchers, Tea Urns Town Contacts, Toothnick, Holders, Children	Undersioned.	BORAX, REFINED & POWDERED.	8. 2361 2364 2367 2368 2369 2371 237 2379 2380 2384 2888 2390 2395 240	Colony for about a Week from WED- Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, LD. NESDAY, the 30th December. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
	The British steamer Douglas reports left For	Jewel Caskets, Toothpick Holders, Children Cups, Vases, &c.	AND NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO GIVEN that a soon as possible after the above mentioned data	ELECTRIC FAMILY SOAP. A. HINZ,	2401 2403 2405 2424 2428 2433 243 2436 2437 2441 -2444 2446 2454 245	Hongkong, 25th December, 1885. [2294] General Managers,
	chow on the 25th inst., and had light N.E. win and cloudy weather. Left Amov on the 26th	A Beautiful display of FANCY and LEATHE:	Assets of the said Estate amongst the partic	Hongkong, 8th September, 1885.	2465 2470 2479 2482 2484 2485 248 32 2489 2490 2494 2495 2496 2503 251	ST. PETER'S SEAMEN'S CHURCH.
	Swatow on the 28th, had light N.E. winds an	the Come Wart Payer Indies' Companion	, jenutied thereto, having regard only to the	HOMORONG HOWLICGUIOWER	2511 2512 2514 2518 2519 2524 252 2533 2534 2535 2537 2548 2552 ⁴ 255	S. DIVINE SERVICE OF SUNDAY NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY, ID.,
•		d Fitted Dressing Cases Cicar and Cicarett	Custing of Amon no summation made from notice i	SOCIETY.		NEXT, the Third of January, 1830, at
	som, Averstein, Gustand, Fu-new, and Wisman	Fitted Dressing Cases, Cigar and Cigarett Cases, Meerschaum Pipes, Mordan's Silve Paneil Cases Photo Frames Dresden Glass an	Dated in Amoy, the 21st November, 1885.	NOTICE.	2555 2556 2557 2558 2561 2566 256 2571 2574 2578 2580 2584 2585 258	MEXT, the Third of January, 1886, at 5 o'clock in the Afternoon. The Sermon China Tradees' Insurance Company, Ld., will be preached by the Bishop.
4 "	som, Averstein, Gustand, Fu-new, and Wisman	Fitted Dressing Cases, Cigar and Cigarett Cases, Meerschaum Pipes, Mordan's Silve Pencil Cases, Photo Frames, Dresden Glass and China Ware, &c. CHILDREN'S BOOKS—Boy's Own Annua	Dated in Amoy, the 21st November, 1885. B. STEWART RINGER Administrator.	NOTICE. NOTICE.	2555 2556 2557 2558 2561 2566 256 2571 2574 2578 2580 2584 2585 258 2591 2593 2594 2595 2596 2597 259 37 2599 2609 2615 2620 2625 2626 263	Agent, 5 o'clock in the Afternoon. The Sermon will be preached by the Bishop. Hongkoug, 29th December, 1885. [2307] CHINA TRADEES' INSURANCE COMPANY, LD., Secretary, CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.
	In Amoy strs. Glucksburg and Bantam. I Swatow strs. Grafton and Nanshan. AMOY SHIPPING.	Fitted Dressing Cases, Cigar and Cigarett Cases, Meerschaum Pipes, Mordan's Silve Pencil Cases, Photo Frames, Dresden Glass and China Ware, &c. CHILDREN'S BOOKS—Boy's Own Annual Every Boy's Annual Every Girl's Annual, No Books by Caldicott and Kate Greenaway, Char	Dated in Amoy, the 21st November, 1885. B. STEWART RINGER Administrator.	NOTICE. THE NEXT ANNUAL EXHIBITION will be held during the week preceding the Races in February next. All Exhibits of Plants Classed	2555 2556 2557 2558 2561 2566 256 2571 2574 2578 2580 2584 2585 258 2591 2593 2594 2595 2596 2597 259 N 2599 2609 2615 2620 2625 2626 263 2635 2636 2643 2644 2645 2646 264 2650 2660 2661 2664 2666 2670 267 2672 2679 2684 2688 2697 2701 270	Agent, So'clock in the Afternoon. The Sermon will be preached by the Bishop. Hongkoug, 29th December, 1885. [2307] SQUARE BOTTLE WHISKY. Napier Johnstone's Blend, Chinese Insurance Company, Limited. SAML. J. GOWER, Secretary, Secretary,
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HUNGKONG, DECEMBER 30TR, 1885.

The result of the approaching visit of Liv Jung-ru to Canton will be awaited with much interest. This remarkable personage, useful additions to our force. who for so many years held practically undisputed away over a large part of Tonquin, acknowledging no authority above his own and relying solely on the strength of his own rights, has finally given in his adhesion to the Celestial Emperor, and can no longer be looked upon as himself a ruler. It was at the hands of Liv Jung-Fu that the French and it was his bravery and tenacity of purpose that prolonged the campaign until the Chinese troops were ready to take the field. Originally an outlaw and a rebel, he was appointed during the course of the war Generalthe conclusion of peace the territory beretoredoubtable warrior must now be satisfied -with the position of a Chineso-dignitary. the Chinese Government, which has granted the Kwangtung army. These men, we understand, do not belong to cruited in Kwangtung during the recent hostilities. Their disbandment on the borders of to the local authorities, and Liv, in his altered circumstances, would of course be unable to provide for them, the concession of land be has received being probably no more own clan-if the Black Flag band can be so designated. Their enrolment in the Chinese obviously the best way out of the difficulty, and the authorities who have brought about the arrangement are to be complimented on their perspicacity. Law ed up and examined, when it was found that the evidently entertains confidence in the good 'faith of the Government, as he is now well on his way to Canton: "Nor is there any reason to suppose that his confidence is misplaced. To spirit away a man who had for a long term of years set the Imperial Authority at defiance and who might again become troublesome would not be out of accord with Chinese traditions, but there is bappily ground for believing that more bumane and honourable feelings have latterly been permeating to some extent the -- careful as to her reputation with the world self a world-wide reputation, his treatment on the occasion of his visit to Canton will be the Commissioner, and CHANG CHIR-TUNG,

THERE would seem to be some little doubt as-to whether the British Indian Government will formally annex Upper Burmah or proclaim a protectorate over it. One of the Indian telegrams definitely states that "auare already arranged." Another and later telegram states, however, that " the Vicerov leaves Calcutta for Burman on the 15th to see on the spot whether the final work should be a protectorate or annexation." The latter is, we think, the more correct. We have every confidence in Lord DUFFERIN's discretion and firmness, and we hope that no attempt will be made by the India Office to hamper him in the discharge of his duties. If His Excellency be left a free agent, he will consider what will be most acceptable to the people, compatible with officials. Seeing, however, that there are many THEEBAW, it will, weimagine, be truer policy faction will be sure to exist in some ports on the 23rd August last. The Welcombe of its branches and intrigues be certain was a vessel of 1,323 tons, registered.

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with their visitor.

to arise in consequence. As the people of British Burmah are of the same race as those in Upper Burmah, it would seem LANDED-A Large Supply of absurd to make any distinction in their governance, felly to set up a dummy king in the north while the south is under direct British rule. Moreover, it was stated, on the best authority, before the expedition the British had come to stay, the Burmese would offer no opposition, but on the other while if it was believed General Pren-DERGAST had only come to punish the Gopeople to the tender mercies of the tyrant, then they would hesitate what to do and possibly allow themselves to pressed into his service. The results of the expedition have quite borne out this view; no opposition having been offered to the British forces by the people; The Burmese people will gladly we come a good condition as when he sold it. good, honest government which will leave them free to act and trade as they wish. ing the advent to its capital of so large a foreign force and the revolution so quickly effected and the fact speaks volumes both for the disgustentertained towards the King's Editor, not for publication, but as evidence of good rule and the satisfaction felt with the new régime inaugurated.

> The British turret ironclad Agamemnon, Captain S. Long, left the harbour yesterday for

The first through goods train over the Canadian-Pavific Railway line to the ocean carried a shipment of stores by the British Government for its naval stations on the Pacific.

We are requested to intimate that as to morrow is New Year's Eve. the general practice of the Hongkong Choral Society will be held this evening at the same hour, namely, 5.30.

Yesterday a fresh batch of eight new consta bles was sworn in at the Central Station. are the second half of the men Chief Inspector Horspeol was commissioned to send out. They are from the Glasgow Police Force, and look like | been helplossly drunk in the street the night

Truth says .- "Lord George Hamilton has done well to appoint Sir Goorge Willes to the in consideration of the festive occasion he was Portsmouth command, as his claims are far apperior to those of Admiral Hood. Sir George can only hold the appointment for two years and a forces to protect what he considered his half, as he will be retired on account of age in

the palace of Srah Phratumawa thas been placed some other people interfered and stopped the issimo of the Chinese forces in Tonquin. On at his disposal, by the Siamese Government, sport. Dinners have been given in his honour by the Minister of Foreign Affairs and the Prime Milamusement, and the other three SI each. fore held by Liu and his Black Flags was nister. His Excellency is on a visit as Minister old capital of Siam.

The change is probably not altogether ac. Vladivostock has provoked a sensation in Ruscording to his taste, but after the events of sian naval circles by disclosing the following inident. A few weeks ago the German steamer the war it was inevitable, and it is reported | China set out for Port Possiett, unaware that that he has been conceded liberal terms by the harbour was closed by a double row of torpadoes, which had been placed there during the war scare in the spring. On its arrival the boat bim land in Kwangsi for the settlement of stationed to warn off yeasels was not in it; place, danger into which the vessel was running, shout-

more recently enrolled soldiers for in- close to the first torpedo barrier. It was then arrested them also, too late to reverse the engines, and amid a panic among the passengers on board, he decided to trust to luck and steam full speed ahead. A terthe Black Flugs proper, but are mercenaries re- rible pause followed, succeeded by a feeling of astonishment when the steamer was seen to have traversed both rows of submarine mines, and to be calmly making her way into the harbour. Tonquin would no doubt have led to much law. The torpedoes were supposed to be of the best lessness and disorder and given much trouble | quality, received from Russia last spring, and they were laid down by experienced officers who had reported that it was impossible for even the smallest fishing smack to onter the harbour without being blown to pieces. None the less they proved a dismal failure when tested by the China. and the Russian Admiralty have telegraphed than sufficient for the requirements of his that the most searching investigation shall be made into the affair. At St. Petersburg it is not believed that the officers buugled in laving them down, but that the mishap was due to a repetition of what occurred more than once with the submarine mines Russia used against Bir Charles Napier in the Baltio. Failing to check that gallant officer's operations, they were haul-

rascally officials ashore had purloined the gun-

powder and replaced it with sawdust .- E ginger-

An amusing book has just been brought out in Paris by the Comte d'Hérisson, who witnessed. as a corporal of dragoons, the Chinese campaign of General de Montanban, afterwards created Count de Palikao. There is a most entertaining and brilliant chapter on the loot of the Summer Palace, and the discovery of the Emperor of China's concubines hidden under cushions in a pavilion on an isle in a take. Nothing in the 'Arabian Nights" exceeds in gorgeousness the account of the Imperial residence, its treasures and gardens. Wit and causticity come in often and unexpectedly, and prevent the splendour system of government, besides which China from fatiguing. Comte d'Hérisson says that the is at present disposed to be particularly loot was begun by the Chinese living near the Summer Palace, and that their presence there as plunderers caused Sheol to burst loose in the at large, and Liv having achieved for him- French and English armins General de Montanban could no more have stopped his mon than a torrent, once they broke away from discipline, and so he had to let them loot, until they were closely observed. Moreover, Penc Yu. Lin. | tired and began to realise the vanity of loading themselves with riches which they could not take back to France. The sharp ones soon the Viceroy, are personally, we believe, of too made a selection and took jewels that could be stowed away on their persons. English soldiers looted methodically and did no destruction. According to this pungent writer, Montauban gained nothing by the compaign, except military advancement, a title, and a pair of spectacles, which he, baving lost his own, took from a mandaria. D'Hérisson only won a military medal worth 100 france a year. Not being advanced when he came home he bought himself out of the army for fifty-two pounds. Comte d'Hérisson opines that Napoleon III. undertook the war with China merely to be agreeable to the Queen, nexation is certain and that all appointments Prince Albert, and a few other high personages in England. Lord Elgin was above everybody, French and English. A poor old muff, Baron Gros. who could never get on horseback, was sent out, not to check, but to sanction all he did.

," WELCOMBE!

News was received in this colony on Monday of the loss of the British steamer Welcombe, Captain Corfield. The vessel was lost off the coast of Africa while on her way home, near the mouth of the Great Fish River, about 50 miles from East London. She had on board a cargo of wool, and the captain has telegraphed home the interests of the empire. If a protectorate that he hopes to salve some of the cargo, but be declared it will be a very real one, and the expects the ship to be a total wrack. It will administration will be carried bu by British be remembered that during the France-Chinese war the Welcombe was chartered by the French possible claimants to the throne vacated by for transport work, and was a considerable time to decree the extinction, as a reigning family, Mauritius, Port Natal, East London, Port of the house of Alompra; otherwise dissatis? Elizabeth, and Cape, Town, and left for those

SUPREME COURT. 29th Decomber.

IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION. BEFORE MR. JUSTICE RUSSELL.

D. K. GRIFFITHS v. L. O. JURGENS. \$91.50

Mr. Holmes appeared for the plaintiff, M1 Mossop for the defendant. Mr. Mossop admitted the plaintiff's claim with started, that if assurances were given that the exception of the last item, \$60 for a photo-

Mr. Griffiths said the defendant had purchased the photographic apparatus of him in April last, hand give them an open and hearty welcome; and at defendant's request he had kept the apparatus in his possession as the defendant repre sented that he did not want it till he came back from Canton, when he would pay for it and take vernment and then withdraw, leaving the delivery. After this plaintiff had another offer for the apparatus, and as the defendant did not seem particularly anxious to take up his burgain he suggested to him that he should relinquish it. and let it be sold to the other purchasor. The defendant, however, declined to do this, and said he wanted the apparatus.

Mr. Mosson said he was instructed to deny the contract for the apparatus. His Lordship said there was no evidence contradict that of Mr. Griffiths. He asked and no display of hostile feeling encountered. Mr. Griffiths if the apparatus was still in as Mr. Griffiths said it was. It was worth the

\$60, and he would not sell it for less, son he was suing for the value of the apparatus The country is wonderfully quiet consider- was that the defendant had given him so much After some further conversation the plaintiff agreed to take back his apparatus, and abandon the claim for its value, and judgment was given

> W. BREWER v. H. S. BIDWELL, \$49.80, stated that he was in prison on a warrant upon on these two large couries, and particularly Korst also occupies the almost exact centre of be necessary. In other words, during construcjudgment in another suit, the case was adjourned in order that a writ of hubeas corpus might be issued for his appearance.

for the remainder of the claim.

POLICE COURT. 29th December.

BEFORE MR. A. G. WINE.

Joseph Bedeli of Spain, was fined 31 for drunk enness and disorderly conduct." The defendant was creating a disturbance in a house of ill fame, and a constable went in and found him flourishing a knife about in a threaten. ing way. He threatened to stab the constable, but the latter showed him a revolver, upon which the defendant gave up his knife, and was accested. Jumes Smith was fined half a dollar for having before. He had been before the court the previous day for a similar offence last Saturday, but then let off with a fine of ten cents.

THE GENTLE SEX. Achan, Achan, Achang, and Awoo, four Chinese ladies, were before the court in answer to a summons charging them with having assaulted a trador named Li Acheong on the 26th inst. A smart and showy card almanae for 1886 | Acheeng said the first defendant came to his with date indicator, issued by the North British | house and abused him about some old grievance, and Mercantile Insurance Company, has reached and he went off to an opium divan. His fair us through the local agents. Messrs. Gilman & termenter then called to her assistance the three received their first serious check in Tonquin, Co. Another calender of a most pleasing and attendant nymphs, and together they entered esthetic description has been forwarded to us the house and pounced upon the luckless trader by Mr. W. Cruickshank, of the Victoria Dis- as he had just begun to console himself for his troubles with the seductive fumes of the poppy They dragged him off his couch and clawed him. His Excellency Senhor Roza, Governor of pulled his hair out, and rent his garments, and facac, has been entertained at Bangkok, where were giving him a regular good time of it until

The first defendant had to pay 32 for her little Aloi and Chan Ho, two more celestial fair included in that ceded to France, and the Plenipotentiary, and has visited Ayuthin, the ones were bound ever in their own recognisances of \$5 each to keep the poice for three months having indulged in language of an abusive cha-A correspondent of the Nove Vremua at ractor to another Chinaman, calculated to provoke a breach of the peace.

> ROGUES AND VAGABONDS. Six Chinese were brought before the court sharged with being rogues and vagabonds. A constable arrested the first defendant on board a steamer in the harbour as he was stealinga blanket, and he remained on board a short time afterwards. He then came across the other ! defendants, who were not passengers, and they had "come to see a friend." Believing they ed out, "Mini! mini!" ("Mines! mines!", but were also there for the purpose of picking up any of the passengers' luggers that could steal be

> > In default of finding two suraties of \$50 each for his good behaviour for six months, the first defendant was sent to prison for three months. The other five were discharged with a lecture. Li Asze was summoned by Inspector Perry

on a charge of keeping an agency for the sale of tsze-fa lottery tickets. The defendant admitted keeping a pak-kop-pin agency, and he was fined \$15, or in default a month's imprisonment. "

LARCENY FROM THE PERSON. Wong Afuk, unemployed, was charged with stealing \$1 from the person of a shopman named Lau Alum, on the 23rd instant. The complainant was walking in Pun Singlane, and had a silver dollar in his hand. The prisoner and two or three others-came up, and one of them struck him on the shoulder with his fist, directly after which the prisoner spatched the dollar out of his hand and ran off with it. complainant followed the man and raising

Sentenced to six months' hard larbour.

MARINE—GOURT. 29th December.

BEFORE COMMANDER R. M. RUMSEY, R.N.

DRUNK ON BOARD SHIP. Henry Briggs, soaman of the British steamer Gle. fruin, was charged with having been drunk and disorderly on board his ship on the 26th inst. Mr. R. Glegg, the chief officer, stated that the defendant was drunk on board the ship on the 26th inst., and caused him considerable annoyance. He had been drunk on other occasions, and this time he was threatening to witness. Other officers of the ship deposed to Briggs being very drank and threatening to the chief officer, and he was seen forward with something in his hand which looked life a knife. The defendant denied that he was drunk, and he called as a witness the officer who arrested him, P. C. Dickinson, who said he found the man off the ship, and ashere in the Dock Company's premises, at the time he was sent for. In his opinion the defendant was sober. His Worship ordered the defendant to forfeit

THE REPORT OF THE COMMISSION ON THE FRANCO-BURMESE

COMMERCIAL TREATY. Although Lord Salisbury has obtained from M. de Freycinet a disclaimer of any intention on the part of the French Government to pursue an anti-English policy in Indo-China, and to encourage native aspirations against the Indian Government, there is no doubt that the action of French agents in Burmah has had a great deal to do with precipitating events in the Valley of the Irrawaddy. This impression will be strengthened by a perusal of M. Lanessan's report, drawn up by direction of the Commission LOSS OF THE BEILISH STEAMER for the examination of the "Projet de Loi" approving the supplementary Commercial Convention signed at Paris last January between France and Burmah, of which we are able to place the following extracts, translated for official purposes, before our readers. With regard to the interest of France in Bur-

man the report begins by stating:-"Thequestion of commercial relations between France and Burmah being of recent origin, as until lately the two countries were not bound by any regular trenty, we consider that it would not be without interest to detail, in the first part of this report, the actual condition of Burmah, and to examine into the nature of the relations. which our commerce might aspire to achieve with this country. We will only say a few words as to the political situation of Burmah, being

England, and is placed upr a Chief Commis- acquired by European travellers with reference immediate future is with regard to the introduc-

joying almost complete impendence, but which are, however, tributaries the Court of Bangkok. They are generally nown by the name of the Siamese Shan Stateand lie on the right bank of the Mekong. ften, however, these Siamese Shan States are signated Laos. W

The character of the mor States bordering those nearest to Frencherritory, is then described. The passage shos that the French are keenly alive to the undersped resources of this

"It will be productive; more interest if we turn our eyes towards thiterritories which separate Central Annum fra Cochin China, since it is the Amnamese mounins which give rise to the river Donai, on whi Sargon is built, and to its tributaries. Notithstanding what has been said of them, and alough they are in fact scantily populated, the tritories of which we peak, and which the autor of this report has himself visited, are posseed of great natural wealth. Watercourses alund there, vast forests clothe the mountains to heir highest summits the valleys are fertile, on the heat is much less great than in Lower Coin China. It would be possible, without dobt, to cultivate with profit coffee and a greatiumber of plants unsuited to the plains of Lder Cochin China. s true that these couries are now almost devoid of roads, and that he Donei there is full of rapids, but between he rapids are large! navigable reaches, and it ould only be necessary

done her utmost to make his practicable." The report dwells withrepeated emphasis on district of Bassac is particlarly interesting:— * "Bassac (in Siamese Kiam Pa-Sak) is the

apital of a sort of chiefsh dependent on Baugthe majority of regal that, and that Siam considers his title heredary. He is only remested to go from time o time to Bangkok to drink the water of the oth, and to despatch to he Court, at fixed perids, a definite sum noney. This is practically the dutus (heredity and some unimportant stails excepted) of he provinces not undr the direct administration of Siam. On observes that each of the provinces, of whice some are of large extent and enjoy a sort of uze ainty over many other territories of less isportance, may be considered as held of Siam ? a kind of 'farmergeneral' under the title f king, vicercy, prince, governor, or what not, ho is allowed to make what profit he can out of t, providing his rapacity stops short of providing revolt. Bassac is now the must imported entre of Lower Laos, heen summoned to Canton on a visit to Pene was absent. Two-or three people, observing the Table 1 and merits special attention from us: Bassac. The supremacy of Siam over Luang-Prabang is the Very Rev. Father Jackson. Superior of the and merits special attention from us: Bassac. The supremacy of Siam over Luang-Prabang is the Very Rev. Father Jackson. Superior of the and merits special attention from us: Bassac. The supremacy of Siam over Luang-Prabang is the Very Rev. Father Jackson. Superior of the and merits special attention from us: Bassac. The supremacy of Siam over Luang-Prabang is the Very Rev. Father Jackson. Superior of the supremacy of Siam over Luang-Prabang is the Very Rev. Father Jackson. Superior of the supremacy of Siam over Luang-Prabang is the Very Rev. Father Jackson. Superior of the supremacy of Siam over Luang-Prabang is the Very Rev. Father Jackson. Superior of the supremacy of Siam over Luang-Prabang is the Very Rev. Father Jackson. Superior of the supremacy of Siam over Luang-Prabang is the Very Rev. Father Jackson. Superior of the supremacy of Siam over Luang-Prabang is the Very Rev. Father Jackson. 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It did not, it is thought, the Mekong pavigation and above all from the where we should usesvery effort to establish a shed torrents of blood, and demonstrated the with Oubone, Korat Kerminerat, Jassoutone on the north, northwest, and west respectively: on the south with the southern provinces of the basin of the Se-Monnand with those to the north of the lakes and through them with the Kouv districts. It is also in relation with Dassanberg and Bangkok. But journeys to Bangkok are effected as often as not via Oubone, Korat, and the Dong-Paja-Pay. We know already that the Chinese of Stung-Trong penetrate as far as Bassac, which sends by their agency certain products, such as erdanoms, to Phompenh The commercial and political importance of Bassao arises principally from its situation the centre of the great navigable basin of the Makong from the supremacy exercised by its chief over the tribes Lacs and natives on the left bank, and from relations it maintains with them. Its authority extends far on this side. M. Harmand was able the man was caught, just previously to which to affirm the fact that the villages situated at the he threw down the dollar, which the constable head of the valley of the Se-bang. Hieng pay to Bassac a capitation tax or tribute. Saravane and Attopeu, from a commercial point of view. depend on Bassac. It is a fact that the products of the countries called (in-the Thay language) Khas or savage constitute half of the trade which Bassac muintains with the west (Korat) and the south (Stung-Treng). Wild cardamoms (ammonum crinitum) constitute one of the most great profit to the chief, who fixes their price as day the King of Luang-Prabang pays a triennial down, and will be tested in London. Mr. de important, staples of commerce at Bassac, with he pleases, and makes the Chinese his agents for tribute to Hué, either directly or through the selling fat rates which he thinks suitable. The hands of the Governor of Nghé an. It is not other grides of train are gums, resins, dyes, necessary to demonstrate the importance of a perfumes, wax, honey, skins, and products of fact of this nature, or the advantage to be derivanimals, &c., with gold and metals from Attopeu and Saravane. M. Harmand himself was present at Bassac at the casting of a great statue of a thorough search through the Annamese Buddha in bronze. Quicksilver is brought from Korat by Chinese or Koulas (Burmese), but M. Harmand could not discover whether copper. came from the mines of Bassac or of Saravane. In the endeavours to establish commercial contres, which we should use every effort to stimulate in this region as well as throughout Laos. we must never lose sight of the fact that kings, viceroys, mandarins of every category are the chief and almost the only native dealers. The whole mass of the population produces for them alone. The part played by the Chinese is chiefly that of collecting on the spot the products which without their energy and appetite for gain would be lost without profiting anybody, and to bring

these products to commercial centres, and to act the part of intermediaries in their distribution. We have remarked that the commercial bearings of Bassac are now especially towards the west and Bangkok. But we cannot glance at the map of Indo-China without observing that as the crow flies the distance from Bassac to Bangkok is exactly double that between this town and the Annumese coast. If France ever, succeeds in establishing herself on the Bolovens plateau and in connecting it with the coast by an easy and rapid route. all the commercial conditions of the region which we have been discussing will be, so to speak, reversed. Bassac will become, instead of Korat, the great entrepot of merchandise of the southern basin of the Mekong, and of the basin of the Onbone river. Tourane, or whatever port may be selected as the place of embarkation, will have every advant-

exportation for the island provinces of the Indo-Chinese peninsula." Even with regard to places in close and direct connection with the Siamese capital the writer allows himself to be hardly less sceptical about Siamese authority than in more distant spots, portant town of Korat:---

wealth, but hithertoalmostknown to European in the future, and this town will play a very in-tworthy of no attention in itself; but it is imteresting part in the clash of competition, which | portant that English financial and commercial Burmah, we are told by writer, is " politic-) is already astir, and which will only augment as | men should understand precisely how this quesally divided into two dinot portions. The time goes on around Siam and Cambodia. Un- tion of railways in Chine now stands, and what southern portion is subject the protectorate of fortunately, we possess no information personally the policy of China for the present as well as the sioner dependent on the Veroy of India. The to this town and its surroundings. For twenty. tion of railways. All the financial projects of northern portion is stillindopendent" The five years no traveller has visited it—at least, no which so much is being heard, and the competiterm. "protectorate," whi we have italicised, one has furnished any written remarks on the tion of English, German, French, and American is totally inaccurate and isleading. British subject which occupies us. But in the course syndicates, are based on a complete misapprehen-Burmah is as much our possion as Bengal or of his personal explorations and of his sejourn sion of the Chinese position. The following, we the Punjab. On the auet of the still in at Bangkok in the capacity of French Consul- have the best reason to believe, is an accurate lependent State of Burm and the neighbour General, M. Harmand convinced himself of the statement on this subject from authentic sources. ing kingdom of Siam the riter of this report exceptional interest presented by Korat, especi. In the first place, then, the late war with France

may notice that independ Burmah and Siam area drained by Korat, in consequence of the had been making for many years past, and on are far from being regular organised kingdoms. much disturbed state of the country extending | the conclusion of peace they set themselves with great portion of thesewo kingdoms is oc- between Luang-prabang, southern Yunnan, and all their energy to repair these. Large orders capied by tribes still alm entirely uncivilised, the Shan States, is still increasing at the pre- for vessels of war, machine gans, and other whom the sovereis of Mandalay and sent time. The produce of these valleys finds military stores have recently been sent to Bangkok only exercise ghts of suzerainty, no cutlet towards China and southern Tonquin, Europe; four powerful vessels are now on Such are, with respect tourmah, the Burmese and tends more and more to take the direction the stocks in English and German yards; Shan States, lying betwe Burmah and China of Bangkok, or that of Mandalay and Rangoon. at home fortifications and other military -States over which theptentates at Peking | On the other hand, two of its principal articles, | preparations are being made, not only on the coast and Mandelay claim equy to exercise rights benzoin and cinnamon, are becoming scarce and and in the north, but along the southren frontier. which neither the one nother can do effect dear, the Phouen cantons which provide them where China is now face to face wit' ince. tively. Such are also the Pannas, situated on being entirely thrown into confusion by the Hos. To the Chinese these works appear the most both banks of the Mekonbetween Burmsh and It is to Korat that are, so to speak, obliged to urgent of all, and everything else, railways in-Tonquin. Of these Stat those on the right come all the dealers and pedlars, Chinese, Bur. cluded, must stand aside until they are completed. bank of the Mekong payigularly an honorary mese, or Peguan, from Bangkok, Battambang. All the money and attention that can be spared tribute to the King of Hmah, while those on and South Burmah. It is also by Korat that are being devoted to them; for, the Chinese say, the custern bank of the Miong-i.e., the nearest almost all the caravans of merchandise pass, as they cannot make railways to convey an invading to Tonquin, are quite idependent. In like the Siamese or Lactian functionaries who, from force more rapidly and easily to their capital manner, to the north of Sn, we find States en. Xieng-Lang to the neighbourhood of Bassac and until they have first made sure that no such Stung-Trong, repair to the Siamese ca, ital. An force will be able to land. This is the first examination of the map of Indo-China will give point; the second is equally fatal to Baron an easy explanation of these phenomena. The Delormo and other alleged concessionaires. It inhabitants of the country south of Laos are is that when the Chinese commence to construct obliged, in order to reach the Menam, to avoid railways, they will not apply to syndicates for the great lakes and vast muddy and flooded tracts that purpose. If money is wanted they will which surround them during part of the year, some abroad and borrow it on their national shall have occasion to reg to these territories They make on this account a wide détour, which | credit employing European engineers and others, brings them to the neighbourhood of Korst. as their servants, to assist them as far as may the immense loop which the Mekong describes tion and in completion, the railways will be from the 14th to the 18th degree of northern Chinese and not European or American. latitude, and it is consequently towards this town this China follows the example of that travellers and merchandise coming from the neighbour, Japan. Railways she will have: different points of this loop naturally converge." but her territory will not be a happy

described as being of equal importance among satisfied now; but with this exception all their the Shan States to the other places named in telegraph lines are now their own, erected by the Loas districts. It receives the following themselves with certain salaried foreign assistdetailed notice:to information gleaned from the histories and papers and elsewhere on this subject, one would accounts of travellers, has always been the richest think the Chinese intend entering at once upon China Traders' Insurance Company's Sharescentre and the most solid seat of power in the construction of a colossal railway system. northern Indo-China. The cause of its wealth extending from Tientsin to Cashmere, with North China Insurance-Tls. 300 per share. and political importance arises, independently of branches to Tonquin, Burmah, Kuldja, Kansuh, Yangtsze Insurance Association—Tls: 128 per the fertility of its soil, from the geographical and the coast, like that of the United States. situation of its kingdom and capital, which is Of course there is, or will be, nothing of the kind. Chinese Insurance Company, Limited-\$170 per situated at the very point of contact and The Chinese will commence in a very small and Burmese, Shans, and their cognates, the Tientsin towards Peking; when this is working Thays of Siam and Eastern Laos, Annamoso and has proved a success (as it undoubtedly will), to connect these reachesby routes to import Chinese from Yunnan, and also the tribes incor. small line will be constructed somewhere prosperity into a countr in which nature has rectly called uncivilised, which more frequent else where it is needed; possibly between Canton Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares intercourse with foreigners and more accessible and Fatshan, or in the neighbourhood of Shangsettlements have raised from the inferiority that bai, Foodhow, or Nankin. There is no probabithe importance of the otlying dependencies of distinguishes their neighbours. Formerly the lity that they will plunge headlong into an ele-Siam, which is not less the subject of this report | kingdom of Luang-Prabang was a tributary of | borate scheme of railway construction-

then Burmah. Many passges may be quoted to China, to which it owed every eighth year a It will thus be seen that those concerned in show the systematic attent made to question tribute of eight elephants, but the King was our iron and steel trades must possess their souls Hongkong, Canton, and Macau Steamboat Co.'s the sovereignty of the ling of Siam on his not invested by the Chinese Emperor. By the in patience until China is satisfied with her preextensive borders. The fllowing account of the min of the events which lately happened in parations to repel aggression; then, and not Indo-China Steam Navigation Co.'s Shares— Yannan, Luang-Prabang appears to have thrown until then, will their time come. But they off every tie, even nominal, with China. Such would do well to watch vigilantly for this time, was at the least the case when the French Com. and to be ready to seize the opportunity when i ok, which invests the hief mandarin of the mission for the exploration of the Mokong passed appears, for their competitors are numerous and province, who is habituall styled by the title of through Luang-Prabang, and it is more than powerful, and backed by diplomatic and other King, but he would be tore correctly called a probable it has not since altered. Luang-Pra. influence. As for financiers, when the Chinese Hongkong Gas Company's Shares-\$90 per Governor General. It i true that he enjoys bang has also political relations with Siam, and kingdom, which obligation is recognised by the peat, the Chinese have no intention now of dealdespatch to Bungkok of a definite tribute and ing with syndicates or of granting concessions by the ceremony of the 'water of the oath.' At in connection with their railways. - Pall Mall stated periods the elders visit the capital to drink | Gazette. the water consecrated by the old Brahmins. and in which the weapons of the King of Siam have been plunged, and repeat aloud a written formula, which abandons to every curse kept in store by the Buddhist religion the traitors who fail in their duty to their sovereign. By reason of the distance the King of Luang-Prabang is not obliged to visit Bangkok in person

every year, but can be represented by delegate. generally a member of his family-the second King, for instance, for there are in Luang, as in that we call kings in default of any other term. appearance. In the enumeration of his titles the "Supreme King" of Siam now includes the titles of King of Laos and Luang-Prabang. Luang-Prabang is evidently too distant from Bangkok to allow of Siamese action being efficacious or even menacing, especially as the provinces of Lacs are far from being yet so united and submissive that the Siamese Government can depend on being able to levy forces there for the purpose of subduing insurrections in these provinces or principalities by using one against the other. Finally, the King of Luang-Prabang enjoys all the rights adhering in these countries to the Crown, and it is easy to believe that he does not regard himself, as strictly dependent on Bangkok. Such must be th case in recent times. But the probability is that the Court of Bangkok, represented by one of its greatest princes of the blood royal the Somdet-Chao-sa-Maha-Marl, Minister of the northern provinces, whose duty it was to supervise the affairs of Laos, took ample advantage of the i vasion of the Hos to tighten the bonds of vassalage which held the kingdon of Lvang-Prabang. The situation of Luang-Prabang with respect t Annam has had to undergo great changes and pass through various phases according as the the rival pretensions of neighbours. The information we possess on this subject is very confused. But what seems certain is that even toed by us from it. It would be of the greatest importance to obtain at the earliest opportunity

RAILWAYS IN CHINA.

archives of Hud in order to acquaint ourselves

with the nature and extent of the obligations of

Luang-Prabang to Annam, as well as the circum-

not quite" hang together; " it is not, for in- other functions." age for supplanting Bangkok as the centre of as is shown by the account he gives of the im- is likely to require for a century to come. There tral estate to pay the hundred thousand pounds "The town of Korst is situated much higher Peking whose yamen has not been infested any | houted the broken-hearted young nobleman into up on the Se-Moun than Onbone, and is incon- time these twenty years with agents of capitalists his grave when he could pay no longer. The testable much the most important in inland' who offered China money for railways and tele- ring is no doubt an English institution, but we southern Indo-China, not only by reason of the graphs, and there may be no harm in stating have lost many English institutions of late years, at the Pescadores. She was chartered in this desirous of leaving on one side everything which, number of its inhabitants and the value of its that in the intervals of evolving colossal plans and we could spare the betting ring better than colony by Mesers. Gilman & Co. for a voyage to immediately or ultimatel, might assume the indigenous products, but also because of its situa- for the benefit of Chins, and explaining them to any of those we have lost. . . . It may be Direction of wind .

ally for France, and has often conversed with the revealed practically to the Chinese the weak Without entering in useless details, we author of this report on the subject. The points in the warlike preparations which they The conclusion to which the writer comes is hunting-ground for syndicates and concessionthat "a French Consular Agent here might mongers. The Chinese did grant, it is true, one render the most considerable services to French concession for telegraphs a few years ago, with interests and commerce." Luang-Prabang is which they are understood to be excessively dis ance and with their own money. Moreover, "The kingdom of Luang-Prabang, according from remarks which are constantly made in news-

want money, their agents will probably be those

BRITISH NORTH BORNEO.

The first of November falling on a Sunday the celebration of the anniversary of the grantng of the Royal Charter to the British North denee Company was deferred until the followingulay, when Mr. Malcolm Brown, the Colonia Secretary, on behalf of the Governor, who was Punjom and Sunghie Dus Samatan Mining unavoidably absent at Labuan, gave a dinner a his residence to some twenty-five guests, amongst | Selanger Tin Mining Company-\$10 per share. whom besides the Government official; we noticed | Perak Sugar Cultivation Company-Tls. 18 per not, however, of old date, though on this head Borneo Roman Catholic Mission, and all our Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Li-Australian vilitors. After the usual loyal toasts become definite until after the overthrow of the prosperity to the British North Borneo Company dynasty of Winh-Khiane, a revolution of con- was drunk, as also the health of the Governor quence, a supremacy n the south over the pro- siderable importance, which thoroughly modified the last toast, the ladies, being appropriately vinces of old Camboda. This is the second point | the political condition of all internal Indo-China, | responded to by Mr. Dunlop. After a very pleasant evening the company dispersed at an French agent. Basac is in constant relations barbarity and forceity of this people, so mild in early hour. The day was observed as a general holiday and the flagstaffs and shipping in the barbour were gaily dressed with bunting, the Lion of Sabah seeming to have it all his own

way at the mastheads. On the night of the 11th November the steamer Paknam arrived at Labuan having on board His Excellency P. Leys, Administrator of Labuan, and H.B.M.'s Consul General in the Territories of the Sultan of Brunei, who was accompanied by Mrs. Levs. The following day the flagstaff was dressed, a salute of seventeen guns was fired, and Governor Treacher handed over the seals of office, which he had held during Mr. Leys' absence on sick leave. Mr. Trescher returned to Sandakan on the 13th Nov.,

On the 20th Nov., the Ote Smith Plane, which arrived here about a month ago, sailed out of the harbour with a full cargo of Timber for Adelaide and Sydney, this being the first shipping of

Borneo Timber to those ports. It is pretty certain the Gomanton guano will come to the front after all. Captain Beeston has made two trips to the caves during the past month and has succeeded in finding two good samples; there being a practically inexhaustible quantity of each. No. I is a vollowish colour. autonomy of the kingdom has been influenced by and when submitted to the lime heat throw off strong fumes of symposia. No. 2 a brown colour also throws off ammonia though not quite s strongly as No. 1. Six picula were brough Lissa takes charge of them, and should the an alysis be favourable, of which there appears little doubt, business is likely to be brisk in the guano line about the Sapagaya for some time to come. -British North Barneo Herald

A rather amusing story is told by a writer in

the Voltaire of the supremacy of red tape ever under s-Republican form of Government. In 1877-at Saint-Didier, in the Haute-Loire, a cerstances under which that obligation arose and tain juge de paix named Epjolras was vaguely suspected of being a Republican. As the form of Government at that time happened to be Re publican the sin does not seem at first sight to to be absolutely unpardonable, but in the eyes of Nothing is known in official quarters of some M. de Broglie it was a terrible scandal. Ac illeged concessions offered by the Government cordingly, M. Enjolas was superseded, and M of China to American financiers through Baron Merle was gazetted in his place. Week after Delormo. The Chinese, it was said, propose to week passed and no M. Merle turned up to perissue bonds to such syndicate as may be found form his dutles at Saint-Didier. Inquiries were satisfactory, as sections of the railway are com- instituted, and it was at length found that M. pleted: these will; however, not be the first Merle had been dead for eighteen months. Aclien on the line, as the syndicate itself will be cordingly a successor was nominated, and in the authorized to issue first mortgage securities. The Journal Official his appointment was announced Baron, it appears, offered his concessions first to in the usual formal words, "replace M. Merle, the United States, because a preference is felt who declines to serve." The writer in the for the American system of railway construction, Voltaire suggests that, as the official mind was and for American financing; but (the correspon- | restricted to the customary phraseology, it would dent is good enough to add) European capitalists have been more appropriate to have used anomay after a while be consulted. This story does ther formula also in common use, "Called to stance, clear why, if the Chinese have the alleged | There is a very interesting article on Horse preference for American financing, they should Racing" in the new number of the Quarterly have given their concession to an ex officer of R view, from which we extract the following

the French army, and not to the eminent' passage :- If we visit the racecourse and take our American firm which has lately been officially place on the stand while the horses are going to recognized as the agents of the Chinese Govern- | the post, what a scene is exhibited below! The ment; or why, the Baron having got it, he roaring mob of ring-men, making the face of the lid not offer it to his own countrymen, who have summer day hideons, screaming like vultures a special provision in their recent treaty of peace | flocking to the prey—what a truly noble instituwith China respecting their share in the future | tion is this! The less custom the bookmaker has railways of China. Baron Delorme and his con- the more frantically he screams the odds; the cossion require more explanation, therefore, than respectable men, with whom our magnanim is at present before the world; and it is right to juvenes gamble away their patrimony, these are observe that if promises only were taken into ac- | comparatively silent; so are vultures when their count there are now, either in China or on their | beaks are in their prey. These are the highway there, representatives of syndicates enough | spirited men who cheered the Marquis of Hast to construct all the railways the Colestial Empire ings when he had stripped himself of an ancesis hardly an important official in Tientsin or he had lost on Hermit's Derby; the men who

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE TUESDAY, 29th December

EXPORT CARGOES. Per steamship Antener, sailed on the 19th December:—For London—38,136 lbs. congen, 76,461 lbs. scented caper, 30,744 lbs. scented orange pekce, 2,440 lbs. sorts, 1 case silks, 84 cases cassia, 21 bales waste silk, and 50 casks preserves. For South America-651 packages tea, and 8 cases sundries.

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THE INDIAN MAIL. The Indo-China steamer Taisang, with the Indian mail, left Singapore on the 26th December, and is due here on the 2nd January.

THE AMERICAN MAIL. The Pacific Mail stoamer City of Peking left San Francisco on the 9th December, and may be expected here on the 7th January, STEAMERS EXPECTED.

The Union Line steamer Mosser left Singapore on the 24th December, and may be looked for here no or about the 1st. January. The steamer Iphigenia left Singapore on the TEN AM. Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the 21th December, and may be expected here on or about the 1st January.

The China Navigation steamer Hangehow left

Singapore on the 26th December, and is due here transhinment, arriving one week later than by on the 2nd January. The Ocean Steamship Company's steamer Bellerophon left Singapore on the 26th Decem ber, and is due here on the End January. The Shire Line steamer Cardiganshire left Singapore on the 27th December, and is due here

on or about the 4th January. The E. & A. steamer Menmuir left Sydney on the 15th December, and is due here on or about the 7th January. .

The steamer Falkenburg left Singapore for Saigon and this port on the 17th December

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The Postal Guide for 1885, ravisad to date. will be found in the Daily Press Directory, p. 393 large edition, p. 657 small edition. This RETURN PASSAGES.—Passengers, who have is the only authorised convicte Summary of paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco Postal information published in Hangkong.

The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published an allowance of 10 °/ will be made from .Return | twice each day in our Extra, which is always Fare. Pre-Paid Return Passage Orders, avail- corrected to a much later hour than that gives A MAIL WILL CLOSE

For Straits, Colombo, and Bombay, -- Por Titania, to-day, the 30th inst., at 11:30 A.M. For Shanghai. - Per Ningpo, to-day, the 30th inst. at 11.80 A.M. For Swatow and Amoy.—Per Amigo, to-day, the 30th inst., at 3.30 P.M. For Port Darwin, Thursday Island, Cooktown, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney, Molbourne,

&c .- Per Wooserg, to-day, the 30th inst., at 3.30 For Hoihow and Pakhoi. - Per Anton, to-day. he 3 th instant, at 5.00 P M. For Singapore and New York. -Por Claymore. on Saturday, the 2nd January, at 4.30 P.M. For Straits and Bombay. - Per Zambesi, on Wednesday, the 6th January, at 2.00 P.M.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet Natal will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 12th January, with Mails to the United Kingdom, Europe. PEKING" will be despatched for and places beyond, with Nanics: to Suigon, Aden, Natal and the Cape, Egypt, Malta, and

> the Mails, &c. The Post Office declines all responsibility for make no enquiries into alloged losses of such

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Noon -- Money Order Office closes 1.00 P. H. - Registry of Letters ceases. Post ing of all printed matter and patterns chases. 3.00 p. v. - Visits closed, agent for Late Letters 3.10 p.m.—Letters may be posted with late fee

of 10 cents until 3.30 P.M.—when the Post Office closes entirely. the packet with late fee of 10 conts, until time of departure.

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5 .- Money orders on the United Kingdom for sams not exceeding £5 are granted by means of Postal Notes, as to which see separate notice or the Hongkong Postal Guide. 6.—Sums not exceeding \$50 may be remitted between the ports of China by means of Postage stamps, subject to a charge of one per cent. for eashing them; or money ord ma be granted at Hongkong or Shangle eres where there

are Agencies of the Ho mi & Post Office. . . General Post Ofta-Hongkong, September 1st. 1885. + Small remittances can be made to these places by means of Postal Notes. See separate notice or Nutal Guide.

EXTRACT QUEER STORY.

AN UNFORTUNATE METARE. and as costly drosses as she chose to order, and as fine horses and carriages as any lady society. in Lancashire. No objection was raised to

enough when one got used to them; but at could induce her to take up his wife, and if coarse, little woman, who had greeted him first they seemed rather sombre and moroto; she did, the latter would soon be received in a rasping voice, and with a loud laugh. able, if somewhat depressing.

known fastness on account of their presumed entertaining. fashion, or whether she thought the temptano officer, in her opinion, that his reputation flatly refused to go. was more netorious than honourable.

on a visit to some of his friends in the a chance, you won't takeit." Manchester garrison, was introduced to bor. "Nice society Mrs. Jones is!" replied ber. "had certainly led a very lively life of it, and society she keeps." if he had of late been quieter than usual, "Well," replied Jack, "of course, it is a his face was black with rage and shame.
that probably was due less to any great re- little bit mixed; but it's very jolly, and you "What the deuce do you mean?" he asked old Peer had borne with bim a long time, the Duchess of Doublechin." divorce proceedings he had contented himself | there again, at least on a Sunday." with solemn remonstrances; but when Seendeleri, the money-lender, informed him of to Sunday gatherings." the early appearance of his hopeful's name settlement with Svendeleri, and then wrote laice way to spend the Sabbath-music in the want to know are?" he asked. to Jack to inform him that he had done so, gardens, and a launch on the river, Laup. "Yes, the Duckess of Doublechia and he and also that it was the last money of his pose?" that ever should go to Jack's use. The young " Very likely," said Jack. . . officer took the paternal repudiation very "And perhaps dancing in the evening?" complacently. He went to Svendeler to said Mrs. Terrington. inquire if his father had actually paid off his | "I shouldn't wonder," replied Jack. he there and then effected a new loan, and re- you mean to insult me? - I'm astonished at sulted," Jack continued, " is the Duchess of turned to his quarters in elated spirits. But you this loan soon became exhausted, and failing " Very well," replied Jack, whose temper to negotiate another in town, he had come was roused too. "Whether you go or not, to his friend, Captain Hardrup, who was I shall. I hope you'll not regret it." stationed at Manchester, hoping to obtain same condition, pecquiarily, as the Hon. during his absence he showed no evidence of

tion greatly taken with handsome Miss his wife how he had spent the time, or what the epithet which preceded his name took she would have liked to know the cause of her fancy mightily. He was one of the his low spirits. aristocracy; his father was a Peer, and, no thirsted for more brilliant company. It was ton's bosom friend, and, like berself, he married he would settle down. If, therefore, he did really admire her, and proposed. she decided, after her very first interview with him, that she would not reject him at it once, but would carefully think the matter into the house, " Nellie, we are not likely to

-Jack stayed for some time at Munchester--much longer than be had proposed when alario. "Why do you ask?" he first went there; and he let Miss Shortout of fondness for her company. This day we were at Skindle'sthough flattering, was strictly true. He was wanted intown. Numerous attorney's clerks, with write in their pockets, were calling daily lawn, a steamlaunch came up the river with, at his clubs and quarters, making anxious. oh! such vulgar women on it. They were inquiries as to his whereabouts.

Shortyard, with a little coy hesitation, re- Nellie, your husband was with them." objections he had to the match, when he ton, with a gasp.

soldier and a husband. But old habits are pany." very proper and prudent wife.

The Device country Marchionesses with whom body for such crownres, was enough to drive has great attractions, and in India their are Rachel Me had hoped to mingle as an equal totally her mad. For all she knew the had done tigers. The Empress is not yet reduced to Therese. ignored her existence, and never once let her so frequently since they were married. It the condition that made Alexander cry:

I see the inside of their doors. This was due was no wonder she had not been received in to what Jack had been, and what she was, society. Jack's bad reputation had survived his re- Jack was not to be home again until din-Miss Shortyard was at the head of the black sheep among the spotless folds of the covered from the shock, and made up her fushionable world of Manchester-a position aristocracy; and his wife, being the daugh- mind, as to the course she would take. She her wealth enabled her to occupy with credit ter of a self-made man, did not do had resolved not to-bring him to book at American Drills, 20 yards, per place ... \$2.95 to 8.10 Her father, Mr. Cheetham Shortyard, was an anything to whiten him. Both, then, were once for two reasons. First of all she was extremely successful cotton-spinner. He doted denied admittance into fashionable circles, afraid Lady Perfect might be exaggerating; Cotton Yarn, No. 18 to 24, per 4001 he. \$85,00 to 87.30

the length of her milliner's bill, and she took their exclusion with great equanimity; she would tell him her mind pretty plainly. English Drills, 30 yards, nor piece \$2.55 to 2.65 meddlesome societies or associations as she force her upon those ladies whom she wished Perfects had made up a party to go to it. one in the young lady's expenditure; for she partly reconciled now-to come from her re- company present on such occasions. occupied as important a position in the re- tirement in the country to be her patroness; As Jack and his friends made their way ligious as the fashionable world. In this but Lady Roughshod cared little for society, through the crowd, Lady Perfect squeezed Grey T. Cloths, 24 yds, &32 in. 61bs. p. pe. \$1.00 to 1.05 Mr. Shortyard's probity, nobody ever ques- appointed in this hope, he looked about whispering that they were the occupants of tioned his piety. For thirty-five years he had among his friends and acquaintances for one the second launch she had spoken about as Shucevic's ministrations, and every effort Terrington up; but he looked in vain. Jack Mrs. Terrington took a long look at them. masses from their state of godless content- quaintances among the ladies of his own ladies-one elderly, the others youngerreligious cotton-spinners like Mr. Shortvard like charity, covered all her sins and gave Terrington was anxious to be introduced to himself, of bankers, and such like, with their her immense influence and authority in the Duchess. wives and daughters. Their conversation society. Jack had always been a great | As they were coming up to him he suddenand amusement were no doubt pleasant | favourite of here, and he did not doubt he ly stopped, and, bowing low, spoke to a fat,

nous! Anything like liveliness or frivolity into the most exclusive houses in the country. Mrs. Terrington paused when she noticed was sternly suppressed, and the air of Just about the time he received this in- this, and Lady Perfect, in a second, whispered decorum constantly maintained was remark. formation, Mrs. Jones invited him and his in her car: "The actress!" wife to spend Sunday at her villa at Maiden. Mrs. Terrington, on hearing, the word Miss Shortyard, however, like many other head. Mrs. Jones was a peculiar woman, started and turned pale. She was a revery good women, was not so particular She berself was well connected, but her solute, high-spirited woman, and she de about the gentlemen's as the ladies' conduct. husband was a self-made man. He was, termined now to show how she would treat Several, indeed, of the former who stood however, very wealthy, and had a taste for her husband's low afquaintances. She ad highestinher favour werenot above suspicion. | queer society, in both of which details he vanced to Jack's side. He turned towards And as she was less particular about the exactly suited his spouse. Their charming her with a flush of pleasure on his big, good gentlemen than the ladies, so she was less villa at Maidenhead was a favourite resort natured face, and said to the strange ladv particular about soldiers than civilians. The of noblemen and commoners, of wite and "Permit me the honour of introducingofficers of the garrison were, in fact, char- millionaires, of authors, artists, and actors. tered libertines. Whether she forgave their All were equally welcome if they were equally ton, in a baughty tone, "I don't desire the

Jack Terrington, before his marriage, had with a stately sweep, she turned round and tions of a military life so great as to make been a frequent guest-there, and he was now walked away. resistance ineffectual and defeat not discredit- delighted with the invitation. To his dis- Jack stood for a moment dumbfounded able, it was unquestionable that it injured gust, his wife turned up her nose at it, and Then he poured forth in confusion a shows

When, then, the Hon. Jack Terrington, are always complaining that you're not re- asked him who the extraordinary person was of a well-known cavalry regiment, who was ceived into society, and now, when you get and, when he explained that it was his wife

she gave him a very kindly welcome. Jack Mrs. Terrington, disdainfully, "and nice Jack acted on her suggestion, and speedil

form in his character than to the fact that know you'll sometimes meet very good peo- her, in tones which indicaded suppressor his father had cut off his allowance. The ple at her house. It was there I first met rage. While his name figured only in scandals and "I don't think you're likely to freet her woman?" she replied boldly. "I went t

"But you know I do," said Mrs. Terring, vulgar thing." in the list of bankrupts, the noble father iton, decisively. "If she or anyhody else". Jack looked at her in amazement. became extremely indignant. He effected likes to misbehave berself, I don't. It's a "Are you aware who those ladies you

debts-a point upon which he entertained "And you expect me to go to such a considerable doubt-and finding that he had, place? "oried Mrs. Terrington angrily. "Do

Doublechin, —Truth.

On the Saturday, to his wife's disgust, from him a little temporary assistance. In Jack left by himself for Muidenhead, and he this however, he was disappointed, as the did not come bome until late on the followgallant Captain was himself in exactly the ing Monday. If he had enjoyed himself it on his return. He was in a bad temper, Jack Terrington was on his first indroduc- sulky, and silent, and did not deign to tell Shortyard, and when Captain Hardrup in- company he had met. His wife was asformed him of her prospects his admiration | tonished at this. She knew it was not Jack's was not noticeably diminished. She, too, way to be long cross for a trifle. She felt was considerably pleased with the attentions | that something disagreeable must have hapshe received from the great good-natured, pened whom he was awar, but she was too though somewhat stupid, cavalryman, and proud to inquire from him what it was. Yet

She learnt the whole truth sooner than doubt, he had the entrée into the best society | she expected. On Tuesday morning Jack of the capital. She was thoroughly tired of had hardly left the house before Lady Perthe middle-class folk of Manchester, and feet arrived. Lady Perfect was Mrs. Terringtrue they said that Jack was rather impecu. Manchester lady, who had married a man of nious, and somewhat dissipated; but then title and debts-Sir Charles, Perfect-and she had money enough for both, and when who had also failed to make the mark in society her beauty and wealth, and the position of her husband, entitled her to expect. "Nellie," she said to Mrs. Terrington, in

> meledramatic, tone, when she was shown be overheard here." . No. Louie," replied Mrs. Terrington, in

"I have something very serious to tell yard, whom he met every evening, know that you, my dear. Charles and I went up the he was wanted in town, but stopped solely river for a few days, you know, and on Sun-

"Yes," said Mrs. Terrington, eagerly. "And just when we were standing on the drinking champagne, and talking at the top At length, when he thought the proper of their voices, and shouting out jokes at one moment had arrived, Jack proposed. Miss snother. It was simply shocking. And, ferred him to her papa; and he, whatever "My husband!" exclaimed Mrs. Terring-

found she was eager for it, had not the beart | "Yes, Nellie, your husband. I don't know. to state them. In due course the settlements | who they were, but Charlie said that they were drawn up in a way perfectly satisfactory | were probably theatrical ladies, and be should to Jack, and a month or two after his proposal know. Ladies, indeed! They came into he and his bride set out on their honeymoon. Skindle's for a little time, and Mr. Terring. he and she returned to London, and took ap later there were several ladies, all so very has the whole map of Europe spread before ton which Mr. Shortyard had bought and it was the Duchess of Doublechin had party; kind supplied, and vet she can scarcely make furnished for them, he resolved to give up and I'm sure it was, for I saw by the Horn- her choice. Ireland seemed a very El Doraeven to pay a visit to Tattersall's, where he fused to go with her party-I heard her not entirely satisfactory. She seemed to had once been brought close to ruin; and to ask him. It is strange the taste some men enjoy it, but she does not propose to repeat

behaviour, still he occasionally suffered cross and dull when he came back. He knew at Africa. Egypt seemed to have great relapses, and incurred the censure of his be had been discovered publicly consorting potentialities. Her Majesty sent her chief with actresses! She was borrifted at the sportsman up the Nile and waited his report. These little faults, however, did not idea. Some time before, when on a visit It was not favourable. Then the Empress Arches seriously interfere with either Mr. or Mrs. home, she had heard a distinguished ac- went herself to reconneitre. Personal inspec- Chateaubriand Dec. Terrington's happiness. It was over some. tress deliver a lecture, in which she described tion proved that the chief sportsman was Fixe thing else that Mrs. Terrington fretted her sister ladies of the stage as just one right. Egypt is not to be hunted this com- Fraso most-something for which Jack could be step above the lowest women; and as she ing season, All the Empress's decisions are Hammonia held only partly consible. In fact Mrs. of course, should know, Mrs. Terrington negative. With two quarters of the world Hermann Terrington was be valy disappointed, had implicitly believed her. And to think to choose from all she has yet decided is, Hugo & Otto When she married a Parasson, she expected that her husband openly, and before his first, that she must go somewhere, and Johann Carl to receive a genial welcome into seciety in noblest acquaintances—the very people whose second, that Europe and Egypte are about Krist, Nilsson London, but such had not been the case, good opinion she desired to gain—left every- equally undesirable. To be sure, America Nauphante

form, and made him still something of a ner. By that time Mrs. Terrington had re-

and Mrs. Terrington vehemently resented and, secondly, though Jack was hard to put Cotton Yarn, No. 28 to 32, per 4001 bs. \$36.50 to 57.50 who was his only child, and spared no expense the denial. She was disgusted when she in a rage, yet when he got into one he was a to gratify all her whims. She had as many thought she had given up the queenship of fearsome animal. It was better, then, on Manchester to be a dependant of London all hands to adjourn the battle till she was sure of her ground. If, on investigation, Oye 1 Spotted Shirtings, per pioce \$3.60 to 2.85 As far as he himself was concorned, Jack she found what Lady Perfect said was true, Dyed Brocades Shirtings, por piece \$3.55 to 3.70

been a constant attendant at the Rev. Mr. whose wife would be willing to take Mrs. being at Skindle's on the previous Sunday. Handkerchiefs, Blue, per dozen \$0.60 to 0.65 ment, and bring them to a true sense of rank, and such of his male friends as had accompanied by two grave-looking gentle- White Shirtings. 51

"Thank you," interrupted Mrs. Terring pleasure of this lady's acquaintance." And

of apologies. The lady, who, though greatly "Why, Nellie," he remoustrated, "you surprised, seemed not at all annoyed, simply she suggested that he had better go after

overtook his wife. When she looked at him

"How dare you introduce me to such ask you to introduce me to those ladies"-"I didn't remember that she objected and she pointed to the first group "and you insult me by introducing me to tha

daughters," "Duchess of Fiddlesticks !" he answered passionately. " They are Mrs. Banbox, the actres and her sisters."

Mrs. Terrington was amazed. "And the lady whom you have just in

JUMBO'S REMAINS. The taxidermist who has charge of the work upon Jumbo's body states that th elephant's stomach contained many Englis' chins-gold as well as silver and bronz His tusks had by the collision with the train been driven nearly through the skull. Th

elephant's ak was found to be an inch and a half thick and it weighed 1,587 lbs. Th skeleton weighs 2.400 lbs., and the total weight of the body was over six tons. Th cost of stuffing the elephant will be \$2,000 besides the wages for three months o those engaged in the work.

FANCY DRINKS. "Give me some bicarbonate of magnesia Elise and sulphate of potash," said a stranger to Elise the polite barkeeper at a prominent hotel; Emily recently. "Very sorry," be replied, survely. Felix "we're just out of it; but you will find our bromide of sodium and silicic acid an elegant | morning refresher." "Don't use it," said the visitor; "but I'll take a lithia cocktail Harmonia with a little bicarbonate of lime." "Got Helicon me again," said the barkesper, "but how Hiram, Emery Dac. would some sulphuretted hydrogen and acetate of lead suit you?" "I That'll do," said the visitor. And he pungled out two bits

for three fingers of whisky. A PLAGUE OF CANTHARIDES. We learn from a correspondent that there | Louise has been quite a plague of Spanish flies at Marguerite Raichore. The light of a candle or lamp is May sure to attract an innumerable quantity of Mohawk these pests, and should they alight upon any N. Gibson uncovered portion of a person they are sure to leave behind a small painful blister. On close examination no bite or sting is detected, Spolon and the flies even admit of being handled South America Sept. 18 Fowle with impunity, and it is only possible to Spartan count for the blisters produced by suppos- Storfyrsten ing that if rudely brushed away they discharge a minute quantity of fluid which bas a Three Brothers Nov. vesicating action. I'wo distinct kinds of Spanish flies have visited Ruichare; one is of Wand, Jew a beautiful green and gold colour, the other of a bronze brown. Another place, Wada,

has also suffered from the same kind of pests. King-pine Kiungohow. The marriage on Jack's part had not been | ton spoke to us, and asked us to come with | There is some thing yery droll in the Amor entirely mercenary. He had admired and him. But, of course, we couldn't go in such efforts of the Empress of Austria to obtain Channel Queen Dec. liked his bride before marriage very much. company. What particularly disgusted me good hunting. Most English country gentle- English and during the honeymoon neither his affec- with your husband was that, in another men seem to be satisfied with the possibi. Friederich tion nonadmiration had diminished. So when launch which came up a minute or two lities of their own counties. The Empress Fungshan their abode in the pretty house in Kensing- nice and ladylike, and Charles said he thought her and for hunting statistics of the amplest Ta Lee all his bachelor ways; to spend none of his ing Post she was at Mrs. Jones's. I was so do, but "sport" there has taken an unexpect. California evenings at the club; to avoid, most re- anxious to be introduced to her, but your ed turn, and she can scarcely decide on her Ch'ron Kamrye July 29 Krag ligiously, theenticing card-table; never again | husband scarcely once spoke to her, and re- programme. Her visit to our own island was | Milton devote bimself altogether to his duties as a well born and educated have for low com- it. Ireland was more profitable, but the Charley wisdom of a visit just at present is subject G. H. Wappaus not so easily got rid of, and although there Mrs. Terrington was dreadfully shocked to doubt. The Empress in her trouble folded Sin Kolga was a most evident improvement in Juck's at this revelation. No wonder Jack seemed up the map of Europe and opened her atlas W. Siegfried

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Aspio	French gunbost	10	1450	Captain Daviel	Saigon, .
Champlain	French cruiser	1.0		Captain Noirot.	Haiphong
Comote	French gunboat	11	340	Capt. de Montequen	Yokohama
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Kraysor	Rossian cruiser	8	250 -	Cantain Ustatopost	Sairon
Laclocheterie	French corvette	16	450	Captain de Burbeyrao.	Haiphong
Lutin	French gunboat	4	100	Captain Debar	
Marion	American corvette	******		Com. M. Miller,	Chemulpo
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Morgo	Russian gunboat	7 .	80,	Commander Boyle	Amov
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